GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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FINGER PRINT CRIMINAL TRACING SYSTEM
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has installed Finger Print Tracing System in various Police Headquarters in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has any plan to expand the system in each of the police station in the country; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS(SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a) & (b): Government have installed an Automated Fingerprint Criminal Tracing System in the Central Finger Print Bureau of the National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) in 1992. Apart from this, as many as 19 States have installed Fingerprint Criminal Tracing System in their respective Police Headquarters so far.

(c) & (d): Government are in touch with the State Governments and have been emphasising upon the need for the expansion and extension of the system to each police station in the States.